

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

LISTING OF CLAIMS

1 – 32. (cancelled)

33. (currently amended) An internet based electronic commerce system configurable to allow online access to a user to select a description of goods/services for at least one trade mark application said system comprising:

means for presenting a predetermined list of goods/services to said user of said service system, said predetermined list being in accordance with an official classification of goods and services;

said means for presenting said predetermined list being capable of:

presenting to said user a set of class headings for said list of goods/services; and

presenting to said user said list of goods/services as a set of predetermined words describing individual said goods/services; and

means for selecting individual said goods/services from said predetermined list presented to said user, said selection being in response to an input by said user, said means for selecting individual goods/services being capable of:

selecting a class heading of goods/services, in which case a said selection corresponds to all goods/services stored in a predetermined list of goods/services corresponding to said heading; and

editing said predetermined list of goods/services by accepting a user modification of said set of predetermined words.

34. (previously presented) An internet based system as claimed in claim 33, wherein said means for presenting said goods/services comprises use of at least one drop down menu.

35. (previously presented) An internet based system as claimed in claim 33, wherein said means for presenting said goods/services comprises use of at least one scroll bar window.

36. (previously presented) An internet based system as claimed in claim 33, wherein said means for selecting said goods/services comprises use of at least one icon, whereby said user of said system- selects said goods/services via selection of said icon.

37. (previously presented) An internet based system as claimed claim 33, wherein said means for selecting said goods/services comprises use of at least one box, whereby said user of said system selects said goods/services via selection of said box.

38. (previously presented) An internet based system as claimed in claim 33, wherein said means for selecting said goods/services comprises a means selected from the set:

highlighting means, whereby said user of said system selects said goods/services by highlighting said goods/services; and

underlining means, whereby said user of said system selects said goods/services by underlining said goods/services.

39. (currently amended) A method of presenting and selecting goods/services; said goods/services forming part of a trade mark application, said trade mark application being made via an internet based electronic commerce system said method comprising the steps of:

said internet based electronic commerce system presenting a predetermined list of goods/services to an online user of said system, said predetermined list being in accordance with an official classification of goods and services;

said internet based electronic commerce system presenting a set of class headings for said list of goods/services;

said internet based electronic commerce system presenting said list of goods/services as a set of predetermined words describing individual said goods/services;

said online user selecting said goods/services from said predetermined list;

said internet based system accepting said user selection of individual said goods/services from said predetermined list;

said internet based system accepting a selection of a class heading of goods/services, in which case a said selection corresponds to all goods/services stored in a predetermined list of goods/services corresponding to said heading; and

said internet based system accepting an editing of said list of goods/services by accepting a user modification of said set of predetermined words.

40. (previously presented) A method of presenting and selecting goods/services as claimed in claim 39, wherein:

presenting said predetermined list of said goods/services are presented as:

class headings; and

additional words.

41. (previously presented) A method of presenting and selecting goods/services as claimed in claim 39, further comprising the steps of:

presenting said predetermined list of said goods/services using at least one drop down menu.

42. (previously presented) A method of presenting and selecting goods/services as claimed in claim 39, further comprising the step of:

presenting said predetermined list of said goods/services using at least one scroll bar window.

43. (previously presented) A method of presenting and selecting goods/services as claimed in claim 39, further comprising the step of:

selecting said goods/services from said predetermined list using any of the following set:

at least one icon;

at least one box;

at least one text box.

44. (previously presented) A method of presenting and selecting goods/services as claimed in claim 39, further comprising the steps of:

presenting said goods/services as class headings using a scrollbar window;

selecting said goods/services; and

entering additional words within a suitable text box.

45. (previously presented) A method of presenting and selecting goods/services as claimed in claim 39, further comprising the steps of:

presenting said goods/services as class headings using a scrollbar window;

presenting additional words of said goods/services using a scrollbar window; and

selecting said class headings and said additional words by highlighting said class headings and said additional words.

46. (previously presented) A method of presenting and selecting goods/services as claimed in claim 39, comprising the steps of:

presenting said goods/services as class headings using a first scrollbar window;
presenting additional words of said goods/services using a second scrollbar window, said second scrollbar window being generated from said first scrollbar window.

47. (previously presented) A method of presenting and selecting goods/services as claimed in claim 39, comprising the steps of:

sorting said goods/services into the relevant classes following the presenting and selecting of said goods/services.

48. (previously presented) A method of presenting and selecting goods/services as claimed in claim 39, comprising the steps of:

specifying a country in which said trade mark application will be filed;
presenting said goods/services as class headings using a first scrollbar window;
presenting additional words of said goods/services using a second scrollbar window;

said presenting of said goods/services being in the official language of said country in which said trade mark application will be filed.

49. (currently amended) A user interface for generating an interactive display capable of receiving online user instructions for selection of individual goods/services, said user interface comprising:

a display for displaying to an online user;

said display operable for displaying to said user a plurality of class selection icons for selecting at least one class of goods/ services from a predetermined list of goods/services, in accordance with an official classification of goods and services;

said display operable for displaying to said user said predetermined list of goods/services as a set of predetermined words describing individual said goods/services;

wherein said user interface is capable of receiving said user instructions by selection of a said class selection icon;

wherein said user interface is capable of receiving said user instructions as a selection[[ng]] of a class heading of goods/services, in which case a said selection corresponds to all goods/services stored in said predetermined list of goods/services corresponding to said heading; and

wherein said user interface is capable of receiving said user instructions as a modification of said predetermined list of goods/services.

50. (previously presented) The user interface as claimed in claim 49, further comprising:

at least one dialogue box for containing a list of individual goods/services by name,

wherein said user interface is capable of receiving said instructions by activation of individual text data within said text dialogue box.

51. (previously presented) The user interface as claimed in claim 49, further comprising a dialogue box data entry display, for entering text descriptions of goods/services not listed in said goods/services menu.

52. (previously presented) The user interface as claimed in claim 49, wherein said menu dialogue lists a generic text description of goods/services corresponding to a class icon.

53. (previously presented) The user interface as claimed in claim 49, further comprising:

a country selection icon capable of receiving instructions for selecting a country wherein,

upon entering a country code corresponding to a particular country, said goods/services are displayed in a language appropriate to said selected country.

54. (currently amended) A remotely accessible computer system for generating an interactive display capable of receiving user instructions for selection of individual goods/services, said computer system comprising:

at least one data processor;

at least one memory storing instructions for operating said data processor;

at least one memory for storing data describing a plurality of individual countries, and text descriptions of classifications of goods/services, said text descriptions of goods and services being in accordance with an official classification of goods and services;

at least one user interface;

said user interface configured to display:

a plurality of class selection icons for selecting at least one class of goods/services;

a menu display, listing a generic text description of goods/services corresponding to a said class icon.

at least one dialogue box display for entering text descriptions of goods/services;

wherein said user interface is capable of receiving user instructions for selection of at least one class of goods/services by activating a said icon selecting said at least one class of goods/services;

means for selecting individual classes of said goods/services from activation of said class selection icons, in which by selecting a said class selection icon said selection corresponds to all goods/services stored in a predetermined list of goods/services corresponding to said class; and

means for accepting a user's modification of said predetermined list of goods/services by accepting a said text description of goods/services as entered in said dialogue box.

55. (currently amended) A method of operation of a user interface for receiving online user instructions for selection of individual goods/services, said method comprising:

generating an interactive display of a plurality of class icons, each representing a class of goods/services said plurality of class icons being in accordance with an official classification of goods and services;

presenting a list of goods/services as a set of predetermined words describing individual said goods/services;

selecting at least one class of goods/ services by activating at least one said class selection icon, in which case a said selection corresponds to all goods/services stored in a predetermined list of goods/services corresponding to said selected class; and

editing said list of goods/services by accepting a user's modification of said predetermined list of goods/services.

56. (previously presented) The method as claimed in claim 55, further comprising the steps of:

generating at least one text menu dialogue box containing a list of individual goods/services by name; and

receiving said instructions by activation of individual text data within said text dialogue box.

57. (previously presented) The method as claimed in claim 55, further comprising the steps of:

generating a dialogue box data entry display, for entering text descriptions of goods/services not listed in said goods/services menu.

58. (previously presented) The method as claimed in claim 55, further comprising the steps of:

generating a country selection icon capable of receiving instructions for selecting a country,

receiving instructions for selecting a country, by selection of said country selection icon; and

upon entering a country code corresponding to a particular country, displaying said goods/services in a language appropriate to said selected country.

59. (currently amended) A remotely accessible computer system for generating an online interactive display capable of receiving instructions for selection of individual goods/services, said computer system comprising:

at least one data processor;

at least one memory storing instructions for operating said data processor;

and

at least one memory for storing data describing a plurality of individual countries, and text descriptions of classifications of goods/services, said text descriptions being in accordance with an official classification of goods and services; and

a user interface for interfacing with an online user;

wherein said user interface is operable for;

displaying to said user a plurality of class selection icons for selecting at least one class of goods/services;

displaying to said user a menu dialogue, listing a generic text description of goods/services corresponding to said class selection icons;

displaying to said user at least one dialogue box display for entering text descriptions of goods/services;

receiving user instructions for selection of at least one class of goods/services by activating the said class selection icon selecting said at least one class of goods/services in which case a said selection corresponds to all goods/services stored in a predetermined list of goods/services corresponding to said heading; and

receiving user instructions for selection of individual goods/services by receiving text descriptions of said goods/services entered via a said dialogue box display for entering text.

60. (previously presented) An internet based system as claimed in claim 33, wherein said means for selecting individual goods/services from said list is capable of:

accepting deletion of individual words of said set of predetermined words; and

accepting entry of additional text characters to describe words which specify said goods/services.

61. (previously presented) A method of presenting and selecting goods/services as claimed in claim 39, wherein said accepting editing comprises:

accepting deletion of individual words of said set of predetermined words; and

accepting entry of additional text characters to describe words which specify said goods/services.

62. (previously presented) The user interface as claimed in claim 49, wherein said user interface is capable of receiving said instructions as:

a deletion of individual words of said set of predetermined words; and as additional text characters describing words which specify said goods/services.

63. (new) An internet based system as claimed in claim 33, wherein said means for selecting individual goods/services from said list is capable of:

accepting deletion of individual words of said set of predetermined words; and accepting entry of additional text characters to describe words which specify said goods/ services.

64. (new) A method presenting and selecting goods/ services as claimed in claim 39, wherein said accepting editing comprises:

accepting deletion of individual words of said set of predetermined words; and accepting entry of additional text characters to describe words which specify said goods/ services.

65. (new) The user interface as claimed in claim 49, wherein said user interface is capable of receiving said instructions as:

a deletion of individual words of said set of predetermined words; and as additional text characters describing words which specify said goods/ services.